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David M. Wham, Reclamation Hydrologist

RE:

Site Inspection, Marysvale Mining Company, Deer Trail Mine,

M/031/004, Piute County, Utah

The Minerals Team inspected the above referenced site on June 12, 1987. The mine is a candidate for "inactive" file status. A site visit was conducted to confirm the inactive status of the operation and to determine if current assessment work was being performed.

The site was essentially the same as described in the Division's May 14, 1985 memo to file. An Affidavit of Assessment Work for 1986 was found at the portal entrance (refer to photograph) signed by Mr. Rell Frederick of Marysvale.

I am unable to determine if this operation was active past the July 1, 1977 deadline. All site disturbance was clearly performed prior to this date. The site was observed to be in a limited state of activity on May 5, 1976. The next field visit did not take place until 1985. Several requests for information have been mailed to the operator/operator representative with no response received to date.

I recommend contacting the operator and notifing him that his file has been retired and that the appropriate filing would need to take place prior to reactivating the mining operation.

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